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IN
THE CITY OF
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1990 CENSUS - POPULATION FACTORS

This report is the second in a series of 1990 Census publications to be released by Los Angeles City Planning demographics research staff.

The attached pages include tabular data and thematic maps showing population distribution patterns in the City of Los Angeles. This information was derived through analysis of the initial release of data from the 1990 U.S. Census of Population and Housing.

As was indicated in an earlier report dated April 8th, Los Angeles increased by more than 518,000 persons between 1980 and 1990. While this number seems high, the percentage increase on a base population of almost 3,000,000 is the slowest growth rate among all counties in Southern California without exception. From April 1, 1980 through March 30, 1990, the nine counties making up this general region (Riverside, San Bernardino, Kern, San Diego, Ventura, Orange, Santa Barbara, Imperial, and Los Angeles) grew by 27.5 percent. During the same period of time, population in the City of Los Angeles increased by a significantly slower 17.5 percent.

Table I (see note below), which details the numbers and rates of change, lists each of the five racial/ethnic subpopulation groups as defined by the Census. Although a sixth group, "other", is accounted for by the Federal Census, it is not indicated separately in this report. It is, instead, included in the Hispanic/Latino subpopulation grouping since most Hispanic/Latino persons define themselves as being in the "other" category. Table I includes information for each of the 35 Planning Districts, 11 sub-regions, four regions, and Citywide.

	1990	1980	change
Hispanic/Latino	40.2%	27.5%	+12.7%
White non-Hispanic	37.3%	48.3%	-11.0%
Black non-Hispanic	17.0%	13.0%	- 4.0%
Asian non-Hispanic	9.2%	6.6%	+ 2.6%
Native American	0.6%	0.3%	- 0.3%

Figures I through V, which follow Table I in this report, illustrate shifts among the subpopulation groups indicated above. These thematic maps clearly show where, within City limits, the various racial/ethnic groups are increasing or decreasing and the general rates at which they are doing so. Diagonal lines indicate decreases and solid fill patterns indicate those Planning Districts where the various subpopulation groups are increasing.

Chart I, shows growth rates, highest to lowest, among the 35 Planning Districts. Chart II illustrates the same Districts on a total population basis again ordered from highest to lowest.

note: TABLE I is presented in a form that reflects changes in the way that the City Planning Department defines its regional geography. In order to be consistent with current project guidelines, the Research Section now summarizes information into 11 sub-regions and four reconfigured major areas. Previously, these four major regional areas separated Central and Southern Los Angeles and combined the northern and southern areas of the San Fernando Valley. MAPS I, II, and III illustrate the current and obsolete regional geographic definitions of the City. Previously published reports should be used with MAP III and current and future reports should refer to MAPS I and II.

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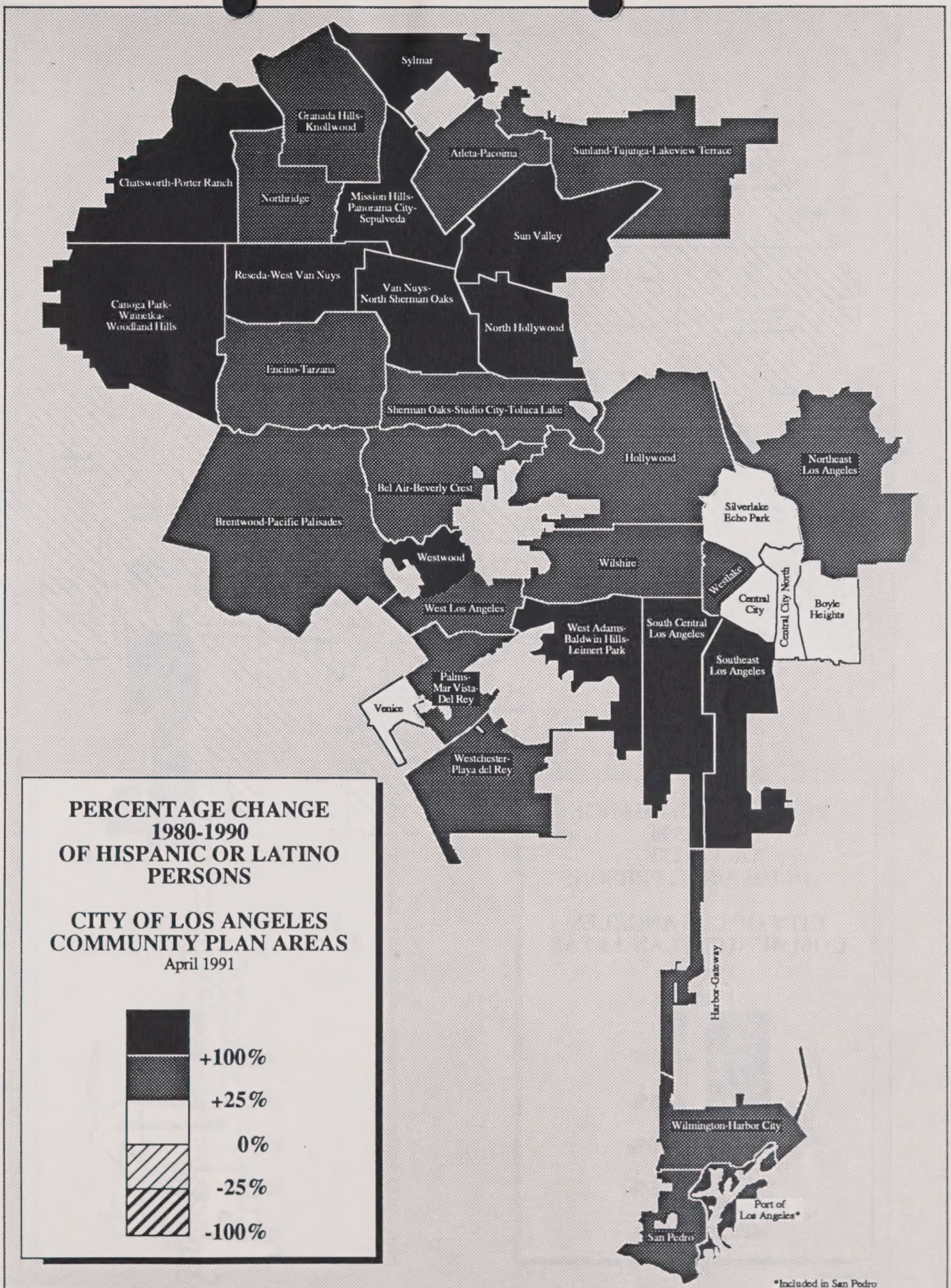
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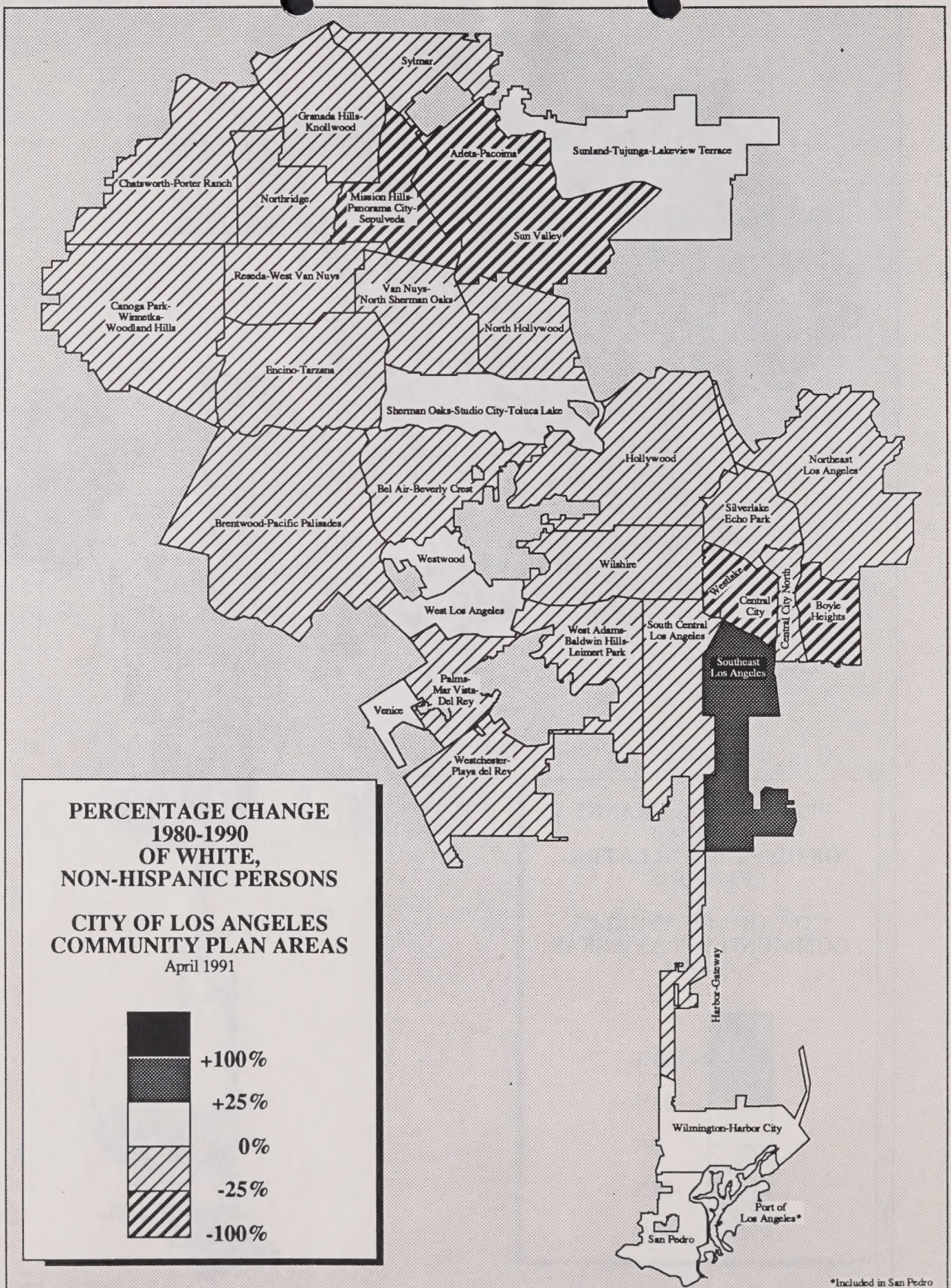
CITY OF LOS ANGELES - RACIAL/ETHNIC CHANGE (1980 to 1990)

PLANNING AREA		1980					1990					change (pct) 1980-1990				
		WHITE	HISPANIC & OTHER	BLACK	NATIVE AMER	ASIAN	WHITE	HISPANIC & OTHER	BLACK	NATIVE AMER	ASIAN	WHITE	HISPANIC & OTHER	BLACK	NATIVE AMER	ASIAN
1	NORTHEAST LOS ANGELES	54514	120261	2601	1491	19412	42312	152129	3980	786	38108	-22	26	53	-47	96
2	BOYLE HEIGHTS	2169	73618	1575	327	3540	1481	89216	695	102	3064	-32	21	-56	-69	-13
3	SOUTHEAST LA	1280	52126	129067	462	1017	1735	138333	92911	235	1407	36	165	-28	-49	38
4	WEST ADAMS-BALDWIN HILLS-LEIMERT PARK	10784	15938	115035	661	9110	8804	47264	104874	388	8067	-18	197	-9	-41	-11
5	SOUTH CENTRAL LA	11690	52741	149952	786	6024	11350	116305	122547	486	6781	-3	121	-18	-38	13
6	WILSHIRE	99345	55937	32776	890	36458	79184	104595	30035	598	57219	-20	87	-8	-33	57
7	HOLLYWOOD	115378	39670	8719	920	16309	107030	76707	8914	582	20614	-7	93	2	-37	26
8	SILVERLAKE-ECHO PARK	21522	34938	1634	494	18062	16779	43172	1606	282	22390	-22	24	-2	-43	24
9	WESTLAKE	15703	64487	2954	564	8737	6956	85678	3099	270	11524	-56	33	5	-52	
10	CENTRAL CITY	6456	12307	4680	318	1836	4865	12726	5315	192	2725	-25	3	14	-40	
11	N&E CENTRAL CITY	1988	4428	2719	66	3659	1723	4727	3289	30	4782	-13	7	21	-55	31
12	SHERMAN OAKS-STUDIO CITY-TOLUCA LAKE	59964	3767	898	271	1283	61697	5267	1803	180	2657	3	40	101	-34	107
13	NORTH HOLLYWOOD	65377	21192	2111	665	3420	59505	48052	5146	376	7161	-9	127	144	-43	109
14	ARLETA-PACOIMA	14932	40305	11489	658	1551	9800	66702	8372	270	3616	-34	65	-27	-59	133
15	VAN NUYS-NORTH SHERMAN OAKS	83347	19390	2409	659	3717	73739	47496	6652	396	8394	-12	145	176	-40	126
16	MISSION HILLS-PANORAMA CITY-SEPULVEDA	51735	16944	3018	608	3842	38667	48212	7242	394	11802	-25	185	140	-35	207
17	SUN VALLEY	35091	20453	1220	524	3898	26040	44149	1982	244	7646	-26	116	62	-53	96
18	SYLMAR	24632	14890	1252	566	1035	23532	31554	2446	344	2120	-4	112	95	-39	105
19	GRANADA HILLS-KNOLLWOOD	47204	4714	942	473	2512	40664	6766	1442	207	7273	-14	44	53	-56	190
20	CANOGA PARK-WINNETKA-WOODLAND HILLS	114090	13253	1736	698	4697	107510	26743	3466	442	12380	-6	102	100	-37	164
21	CHATSWORTH-PORTER RANCH	57745	4801	1079	404	3870	57233	10245	1756	253	10179	-1	113	63	-37	163
22	NORTHRIDGE	44367	5859	1035	231	2381	40444	10614	1764	161	6002	-9	81	70	-30	152
23	RESEDA-WEST VAN NUYS	63041	9687	1273	538	2496	55978	23429	2342	345	7185	-11	142	84	-36	188
24	ENCINO-TARZANA	60499	3896	818	221	1392	57075	5585	1153	110	2583	-6	43	41	-50	86
25	SUNLAND-TUJUNGA	34233	5341	2891	466	1057	36062	10370	2530	297	2608	5	94	-12	-36	147
26	WESTWOOD	30451	1391	541	56	2095	32701	3096	1069	108	5849	7	123	98	93	179
27	WEST LA	48628	6725	1359	178	5857	49614	8692	1785	138	7634	2	29	31	-22	30
28	PALMS-MAR VISTA-DEL REY	59639	21169	3955	549	9565	56258	26692	6042	376	14538	-6	26	53	-32	52
29	VENICE	23234	8759	3503	255	802	25792	9652	3142	182	1272	11	10	-10	-29	
30	WESTCHESTER-PLAYA DEL REY	36078	4385	1308	194	1778	34703	6031	3494	137	3638	-4	38	167	-29	
31	BRENTWOOD-PACIFIC PALISADES	49514	1800	480	97	1705	47638	2504	447	61	2703	-4	39	-7	-37	59
32	BEL AIR-BEVERLY CREST	18349	731	392	17	712	17273	973	311	29	951	-6	33	-21	71	34
33	WILMINGTON-HARBOR CITY	21410	31411	2511	525	4517	19284	47233	3931	290	5779	-10	50	57	-45	28
34	SAN PEDRO	36994	19082	2735	534	2659	38228	24086	3657	348	3207	3	26	34	-35	21
35	HARBOR GATEWAY	11076	9935	4007	228	4992	7948	16068	5050	135	6810	-28	62	26	-41	36
SUB-REGION (PLANNING AREA INDEX) (1 THROUGH 35 ABOVE)	1 NORTHEAST L.A. (1,2 & 8)	78205	228817	5810	2312	41014	60572	284517	6281	1170	63562	-23	24	8	-49	55
	2 SOUTH L.A. (3 & 5)	12970	104867	279019	1248	7041	13085	254638	215458	721	8188	1	143	-23	-42	16
	3 METRO CENTER (6 & 7)	214723	95607	41495	1810	52767	186214	181302	38949	1180	77833	-13	90	-6	-35	48
	4 SOUTHWEST L.A. (4,28,29 & 30)	129735	50251	123801	1659	21255	125557	89639	117552	1083	27515	-3	78	-5	-35	29
	5 CENTRAL L.A. (9,10 & 11)	24147	81222	10353	948	14232	13544	103131	11703	492	19031	-44	27	13	-48	34
	6 SOUTHEAST VALLEY (12,13 & 15)	208688	44349	5418	1595	8420	194941	100815	13601	952	18212	-7	127	151	-40	116
	7 NORTHEAST VALLEY (14,17,18 & 25)	108888	80989	16852	2214	7541	95434	152775	15330	1155	15990	-12	89	-9	-48	112
	8 NORTHWEST VALLEY (16,19,21 & 22)	201051	32318	6074	1716	12605	177008	75837	12204	1015	35256	-12	135	101	-41	180
	9 SOUTHWEST VALLEY (20, 23 & 24)	237630	26836	3827	1457	8585	220563	55757	6961	897	22148	-7	108	82	-38	158
	10 WEST L.A. (26,27,31 & 32)	146942	10647	2772	348	10369	147226	15265	3612	336	17137	0	43	30	-3	65
AREA (SUB-REGION INDEX) (1 THROUGH 11 ABOVE)	11 HARBOR (33,34 & 35)	69480	60428	9253	1287	12168	65460	87387	12638	773	15796	-6	45	37	-40	30
	1 NORTH SAN FERNANDO VALLEY (7 & 8)	309939	113307	22926	3930	20146	272442	228612	27534	2170	51246	-12	102	20	-45	154
	2 METROPOLITAN/SOUTHERN (1,2,3,5 & 11)	399525	570941	345930	7605	127222	338875	910975	285029	4336	184410	-15	60	-18	-43	45
	3 WESTERN (4 & 10)	276677	60898	126573	2007	31624	272783	104904	121164	1419	44652	-1	72	-4	-29	41
CITYWIDE	4 SOUTH SAN FERNANDO VALLEY (6 & 9)	446318	71185	9245	3052	17005	415504	156572	20562	1849	40360	-7	120	122	-39	137
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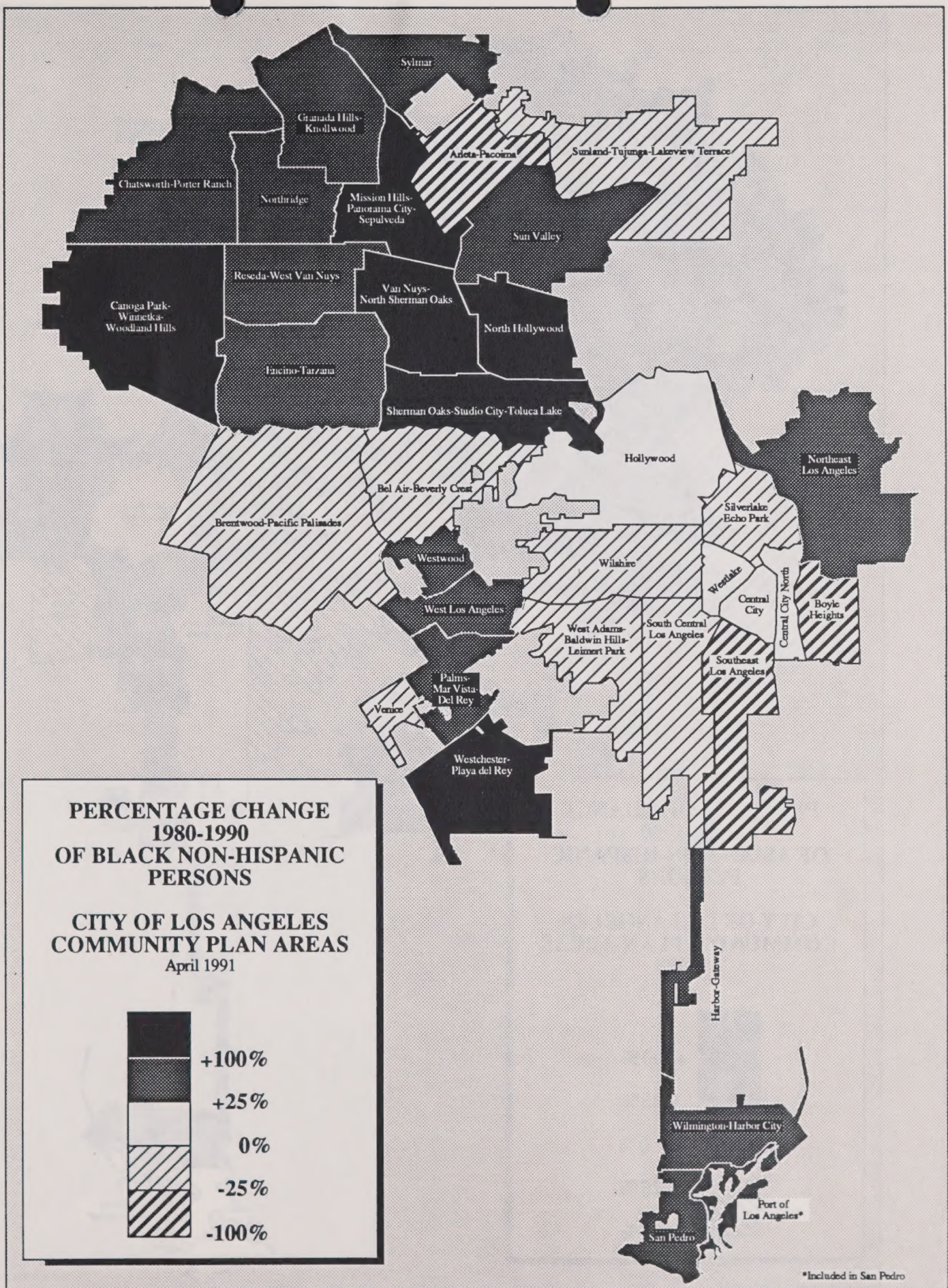
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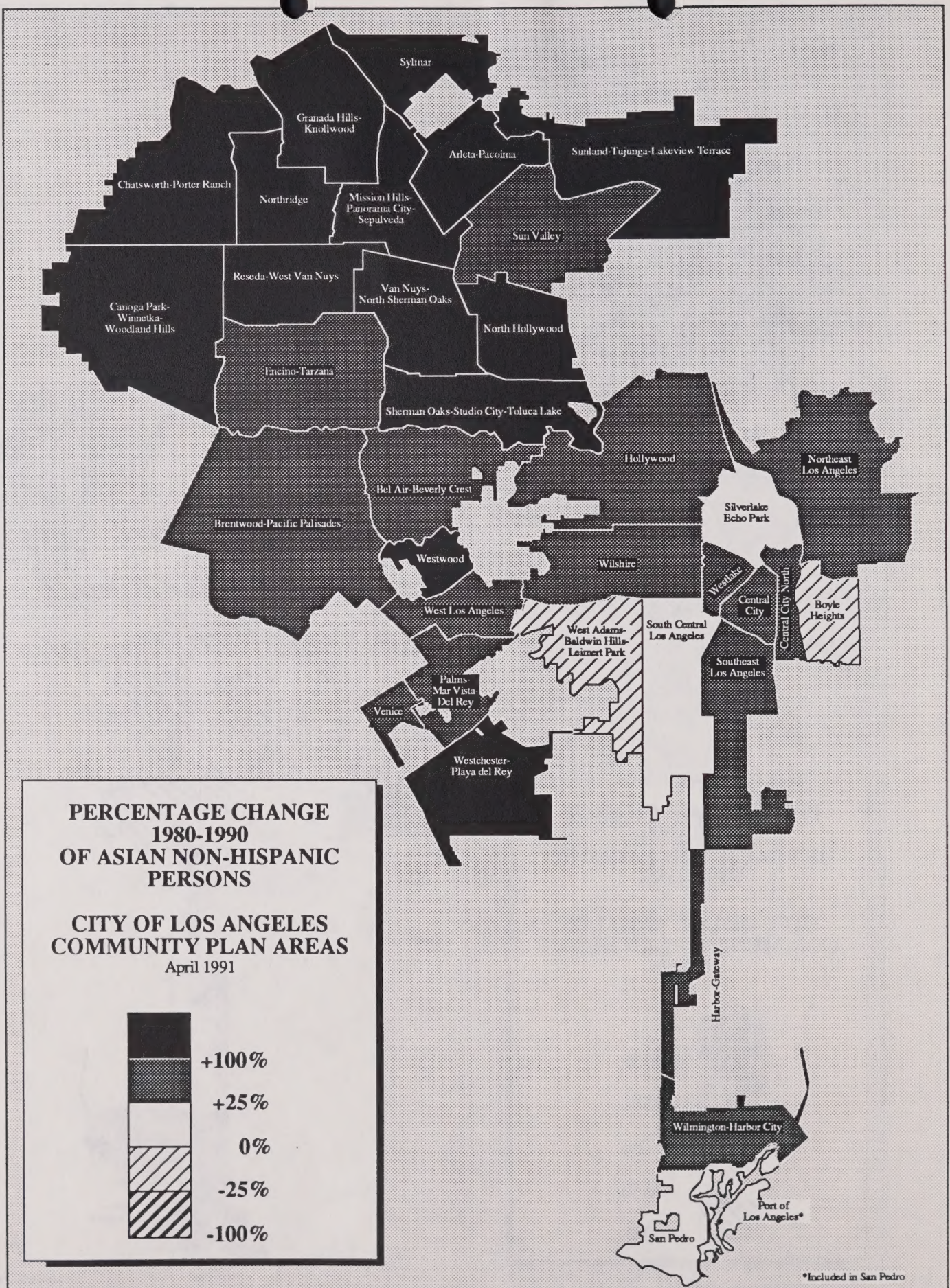
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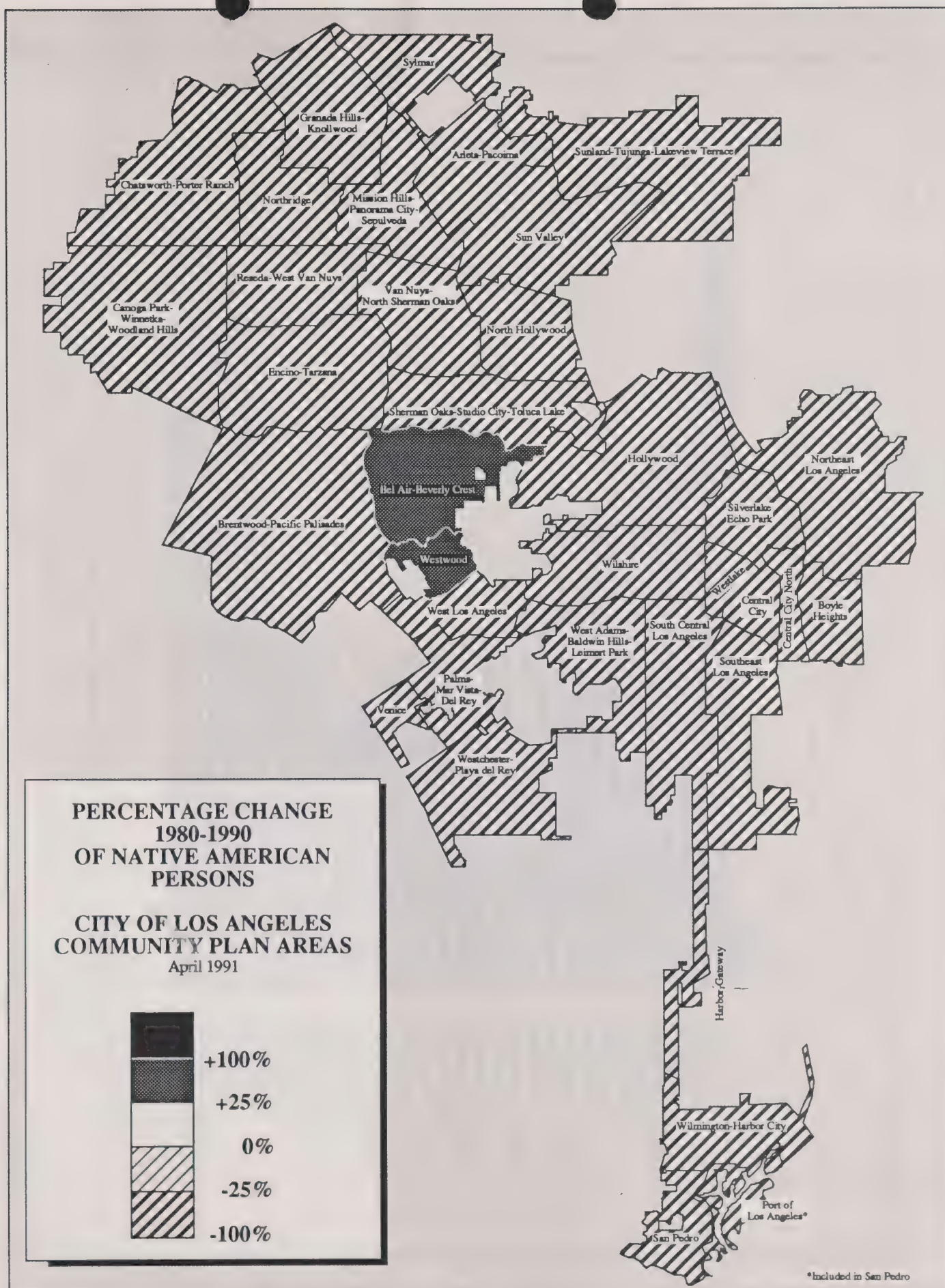




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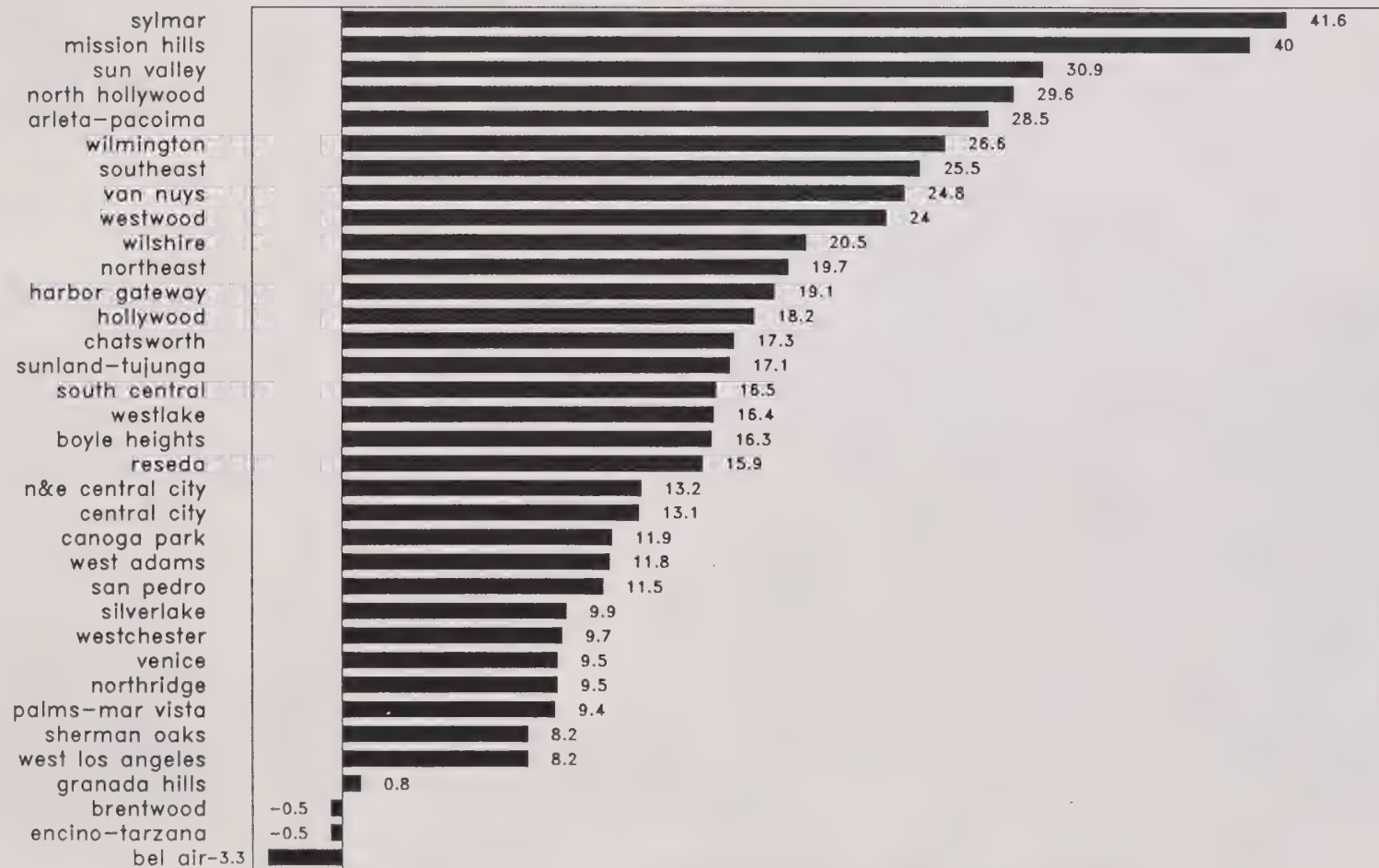






PERCENT CHANGE (1980-1990)

population in 35 Planning Districts



CITYWIDE PERCENT CHANGE = 17.5%

TOTAL POPULATION (APRIL 1, 1990)

in 35 Planning Districts

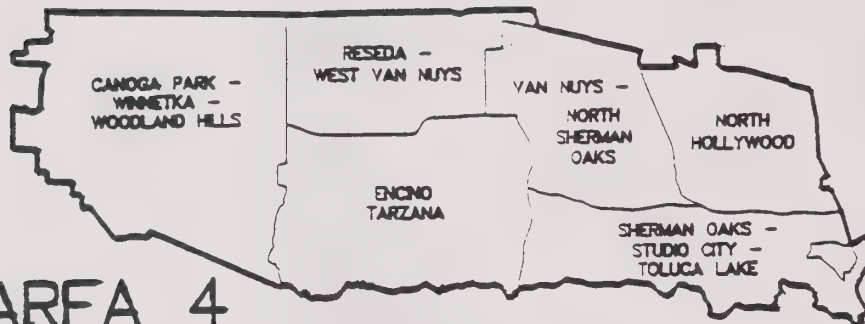


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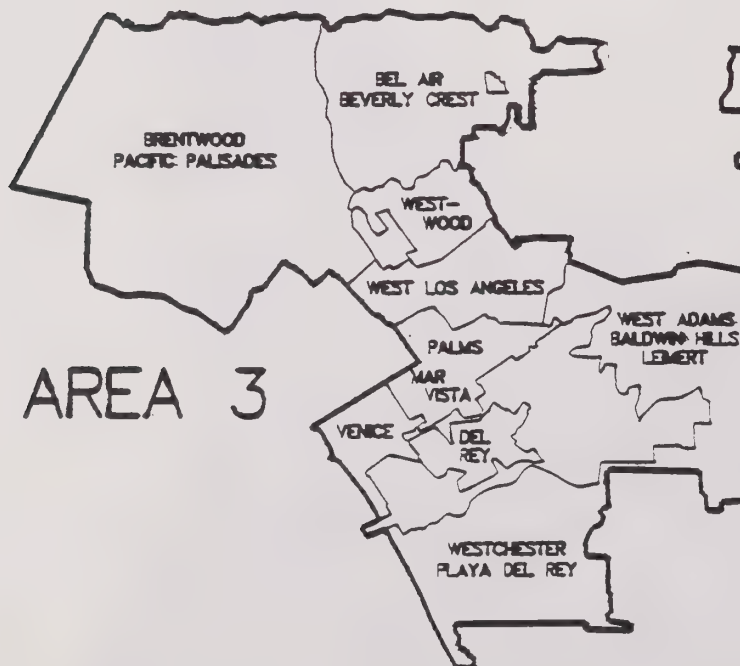
total citywide population = 3,485,398

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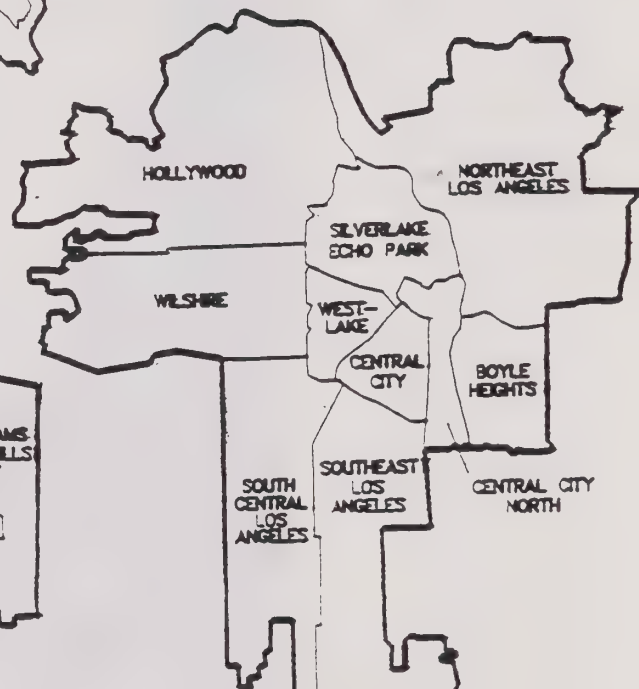
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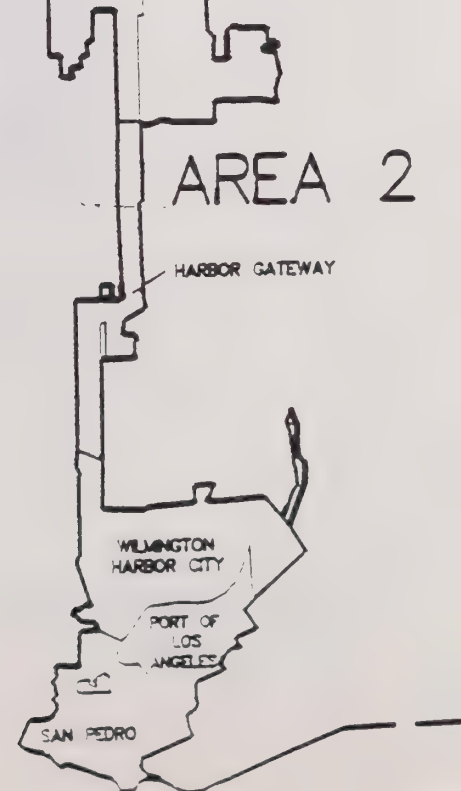


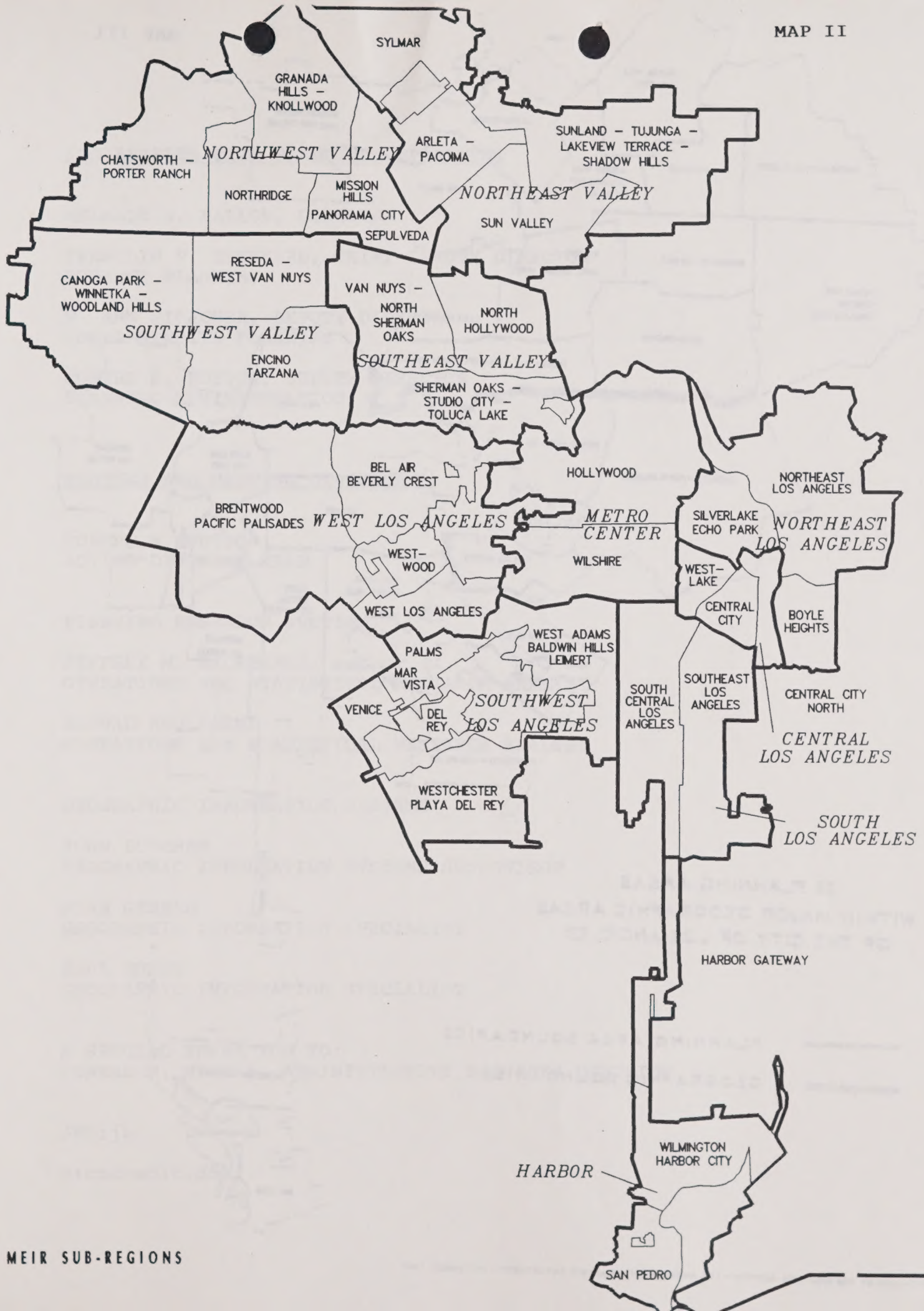
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AREA 2

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